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May Day Fete.
Will you be invited?
The Lucky Girls
Will be Announced
Next Week.

The Axe

By Frances Randolph

PROFESSOR MOSS' seminar on emotions has brought forth another phenomenon. A man has been discovered who believes that the present elementary school system is as good as it can be, and that we should "let well enough alone" and stop changing the curricula. As proof that the modern educational system is quite satisfactory he holds up as exhibit the present university student, product of that system.

WE would only suggest that though we realize that we are almost perfect, it is barely possible that with a different training in our tender youthful years, we might have been quite perfect.

UNFORTUNATELY, as most of us come to realize toward the end of our college career, the modern educational system is far from perfect. University graduates are turned out by the thousands every year, possessors of more or less extensive collections of facts, but sadly lacking in real knowledge, and sometimes fatally endowed with a wealth of self-satisfaction. To meet the need for change, there are always experiments in curricular changes being carried on. Check this helpful experimenting, and we will continue to turn out crowds of insane, half-educated bluffers under a thin veneer of culture.

THE MIMES have gotten their three "experimental plays" off their chest, and the fight for the Phi Delta Gamma cup goes merrily on. Two of the plays given last week were written by University students. The musical comedy to be put on by the Troubadours is the product of University people. This is a worthy object for the Dramatic Association to work for; a workshop in which original plays are written and produced.

THE annual lady Greek blow-out will be staged Friday night at the Mayflower. As about three hundred couples are expected to be present, we can expect a repetition of last year's Junior Prom where everybody stepped on everybody's else foot, everybody swore, and nobody apologized. Well, we suppose that the solid gold boxes and gorgeous environment are worth the suffering.

AND speaking of Junior Proms, past and present, a deficit has been declared on this year's affair of \$386.81. We wonder what the eighty-one cents was for. Anyway, the facts that the Prom last year was such a tremendous financial success and such a miserable social failure, and that the one this year was a moderate social success and a distinct financial failure may have a bearing on each other. This is like a disease that "skips a generation." People who are "gypped" one year do not come back the next but prefer to skip a year before going through the same process again.

AGAIN the rule holds that the third and final win on any trophy is charmed and cannot fall to the winner of the first and second. Chi Omega loses the intersorority track trophy to Kappa Delta. We are curious to know what happens when a "three-year cup" becomes covered with names beyond the possibility of adding more. Possibly an annex might be built to accommodate a new flock.

IRVIN COBB, of comic fame, tells what he thinks of Puritanism in no uncertain language. "I can not help thinking," he said, "that the greatest calamity the country ever suffered is that the Mayflower did not make a round trip." Well, Irvin, old boy, when this country becomes the land of the bound and the home of the Puritan, it will time for those people who still believe America was founded for a place of tolerance to migrate to virgin soil. History is struggling to repeat itself, and make the persecutor of a former generation the persecuted of today. Little attention seems to be paid to the Constitution which guarantees religious liberty to everyone in this country, from atheist to Puritan.

PLAYERS PRESENT SHAW PRODUCTION IN GYM TOMORROW

"You Never Can Tell" to Be Played by Stellar Cast of Actors

IS SECOND OF FESTIVAL

Dionysians Prepare to Give "The Frogs"; Troubadours Practice for "Just a Kiss"

By DOROTHY DOUGHERTY

The second of the 1926 varsity shows will be presented tomorrow night in the Gymnasium by the Players, the oldest dramatic organization on the campus. Last year this group gave Wilde's "The Importance of Being Earnest." The thespians are confident that this year they will not only duplicate their success of 1925, but put on a performance which will merit the award of the coveted Phi Delta Gamma Cup.

Today and tomorrow there will be an oriental fortune teller on the campus in back of Building 1, from 12.30 on, who will tell the fortunes of those who have already bought their tickets for the show tomorrow night, without cost, and for a small fee, if the tickets have not already been bought.

George Bernard Shaw's "You Never Can Tell" is the play to be given tomorrow night, and the cast as finally decided upon is as follows: Mr. Valentine, William Clementson; Mr. Ferguson, Crampton, Fern Henninger; Mr. McComas, Edward Moulton; the Walter, Vincent G. Stubbs; Mr. Bohun, Q. C. Wroe Alderson; Mrs. Lanfrey Clandon, Mary Blaisdell; Gloria, Betty Kilbourne; Philip and Dolly, the twins, Max Tandler and Marie Didden; and the Maid, Maxine De Silva.

Tickets at Door
Tickets may be bought at the door, the play starting promptly at 8.30. Edward Moulton, president of the Dramatic Association has announced that complimentary tickets are not (Continued on page 4)

DAVIS SPEAKING PRIZE CONTESTED BY SENIORS

Finals to Be Held in Corcoran Hall April 27, When Awards Will Be Made

The Davis Prize Speaking Contest is to be brought to a close in Corcoran Hall Tuesday, April 27, at 8.15. Dean William Allen Wilbur will preside, while the Committee on Awards is composed of Professor Robert R. Kern, Professor Samuel F. Bemis, and Dr. John A. Tillema.

The speakers will be S. G. Bucile, on "Him Concerned," Marjorie Mathershead, on "Russian Education," George E. O'Connor, on "America's Air Defense," Helen Shaw, on "The White Hope of the Drama," Frank Smith, on "The Recognition of Russia," and Raymond Weber, on "Chemistry and National Defense." The Men's Glee Club will give a few selections during the evening. All are invited to be present.

The Davis Prizes were founded in Columbian College by Hon. Isaac Davis of Massachusetts in 1847 and are distributed annually to such members of the senior class as shall have made the greatest progress in elocution since their connection with the college.

These orations are first read separately by each member of the committee and are marked for quality of composition. They are afterwards marked by each member of the committee for effectiveness in delivery. Composition and delivery are given equal weight in the award. After the contest the committee will determine in conference upon the award of the prizes, and their awards will be announced at the close of the exercises.

EPISCOPAL CLUB TO SPONSOR DANCE MAY 1

The Episcopal Club will sponsor a dance in the Corcoran Hall Auditorium, Saturday evening, May the first. Tickets are one dollar a couple and may be procured from any member of the Club or from Rolston Lyon, 217 Rittenhouse St., N. W. Sales are progressing rapidly and an even bigger crowd is expected than was at the Club's previous dance.

Election of officers is to be held at the next meeting on Thursday evening at 8 p. m. in Room 23, Corcoran Hall. An important business meeting is scheduled immediately after the election of officers.

SWIM MEET POSTPONED

The swimming meet that was to have been held the 28th of April at the Y. W. C. A. pool has been postponed to May 5. Swimming practice is being held as usual Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at the "Y" pool with special drilling for the meet on Mondays and Thursdays at four o'clock.

G. W. RIFLE TEAM WINS CHAMPIONSHIP IN COLLEGE FINALS

Takes Eastern Intercollegiate Title in Match Held in Brooklyn, N. Y.

BETTER MATCH RECORDS

Score 1913 x 2000 in Shoulder-to-Shoulder Competition With 12 Leading Schools of East

Shooting a total of 1913 x 2000, a match record, the George Washington University men's rifle team won the Eastern intercollegiate championship in a 12-team shoulder-to-shoulder competition at the Crescent Athletic Club, Brooklyn, N. Y. Minnesota was second and Columbia University, third.

The Hatchmen's score was twenty-nine points better than their nearest rival, Minnesota, whose score was 1884. Columbia University shot 1866. Last year the Buff and Blue team was second to Columbia, who won the match with 1909 points. The team score of the G. W. men in 1925 was 1904.

Teams representing Massachusetts Tech, Syracuse, Pennsylvania, Penn State, Pittsburgh, College of the City of New York, Norwich, Dartmouth and Boston finished in the order named.

Swanson High Man
Emmet Swanson of the Minnesota team was the high individual of the match, scoring a total of 392 x 400. Thaddeus A. Riley and Hugh E. Riley, members of the George Washington University team, and twins, were tied for second in the individual record with scores of 389 each.

The George Washington team won the title in 1924 when the first competition was held. The team this year will receive a handsome bronze plaque and the members will receive individual silver medals.

The fine performance of the Hatchmen was due in a large measure to the coaching of Walter R. Stokes, twice world champion rifle shot.

The team has had a successful telegraphic season this year, taking second in the Middle Atlantic matches. The record of the G. W. team in the New York match follows:

	Pr.	St.	Kn.	Std.	Tot.
T. A. Riley	100	100	98	91	389
H. E. Riley	100	99	100	90	389
R. Leighy	100	98	100	88	382
B. Smith	99	98	99	85	381
J. A. Plugge	100	97	86	89	372
Totals	499	492	479	443	1913

GIRL ATHLETES TO BE HONORED AT MAY FETE

Rock Creek Park to Be Scene of First Annual Gathering to Be Held May 1

May first will be an important day in the calendar of the University for an unusual and extremely interesting event will take place at that time. The first annual May Day Fete, given under the auspices of the Women's Advisory Council, in honor of the women students of the University who have distinguished themselves in any or all of the athletic activities, will be given that day in Rock Creek Park beginning at three o'clock.

Members of the Student Activities Committee, Dean Rose, Miss Kincannon, Miss Hopkins, and Miss Jones will be listed among the invited guests. Those who have honor records in women's sports or in freshman gym classes will be invited to attend as guests of the Women's Advisory Council.

There will be special arranged conveyances to the Park early in the afternoon and a program of stunts and contests will be carried off with a picnic supper being served later in the day. An interesting program has been prepared and letters and other awards, which have been won during the year, will be presented. Further information and names of the honor guests will be announced in the next week's Hatchet.

INTERFRAT COUNCIL MAKES PROM REPORT

A profit of ninety-two dollars was reported on the Interfraternity Prom at the meeting of the Interfraternity Council held at the Sigma Phi Epsilon house last Sunday morning.

Three new members were presented to the Council, and all of the houses will have concluded their elections to the Council by the next meeting, to be held May 2, at which time elections for the coming year will be held.

CROISSANT IS DELEGATE

Professor DeWitt C. Croissant was elected delegate and Ivan C. Boother alternate to the Annual Convention of the National League of Masonic Clubs to be held in Philadelphia in June, by the George Washington University Masonic Club at its meeting last Thursday evening. Walter Myers was initiated into the club at this meeting.

PROF. LAPHAM MADE DEAN OF ENGINEERING

Appointed Acting Dean to Replace Dean Miller, Resigned

Professor John R. Lapham, professor of Civil Engineering in the University, was appointed Acting Dean of the College of Engineering, to take the place of Dean Hugh Miller, resigned, at the meeting of the Board of Trustees last Wednesday. Professor Lapham is a graduate of Brown University and of Pennsylvania State College.

Before coming to George Washington University, he taught at Pennsylvania State college. He has been active in the University not only in connection with the development of the work of the College of Engineering, but also in connection with student activities. Professor Lapham will assume his new duties beginning September 1st, 1926.

GARRISON TALKS ON MEDICAL HISTORY

Noted Historian Inaugurates Era of Medical Student Activities

MANY PRIZES PLANNED

Students Organize Societies, in Honor of Noted Professors, to Promote Scholarship

Speaking upon the History of Medicine before the George Washington Medical Historical Society last Friday evening at the Medical School, Lieutenant-Colonel Fielding H. Garrison, of the Medical Corps, U. S. Army, noted as a medical historian, helped inaugurate a series of student activities which it is hoped will lead to prizes and scholarships in the School of Medicine. He was introduced to the students by Dean William Cline Borden. Over eighty students from all classes, and many professors, attended the meeting.

Lamenting the fact that the student's courses are all overcrowded to the exclusion of professors in the history of medicine, Dr. Garrison recommended to the members of the society that when they become physicians they make hobbies of collecting prize papers, autographs, portraits, biographies of physicians, or anything relating to medicine, not only because they throw great light upon current practice but because at a future time the collections may be of great historical value.

"The history of medicine is that of medicine itself," he said. He emphasized the fact that everything has been thought out before and one must study in order to avoid repetitions. With the aid of lantern slides he briefly sketched the history of medicine from Hippocrates to the present time.

Undergraduate Interest

The Medical Historical Society is the first organization in the Medical School intended primarily for the benefit of the undergraduate. Its establishment culminates a feeling of some standing that undergraduate interest and scholarship in the medical field should be fostered and developed. At its first meeting, held two weeks ago, Dan C. MacDougall was elected president, George Dewey, vice-president, and John Gill, secretary-treasurer.

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R. N. FAULKNER WINS ORATORICAL TRYOUTS

John T. Trimble Chosen as Alternate to Represent George Washington in This Region

Robert N. Faulkner, with John T. Trimble as alternate, will represent George Washington University in the contest of the colleges in this region for the honor of participating in the National Oratorical Contest to be held in California. The National Oratorical contest is sponsored by the "Better America Federation," which is composed of business men of Los Angeles and the surrounding country. The contest held by this Federation is open to undergraduate students in seven regions. This region is made up of New Jersey, Maryland, Delaware, and the District of Columbia. A representative from each of the seven regions will have his expenses paid to California. The winners will receive prizes ranging from \$2,000 to \$300.

"John Marshall and the Constitution" was the subject of the winner, Robert N. Faulkner. John T. Trimble, alternate, spoke on "The Constitution." The judges were Instructor Harmon P. Bross, the Reverend George L. Farnum, and Paul E. Shorb, former debating coach of George Washington University. The judges considered the oration from the standpoint of increasing the interest in and respect for the Constitution of the United States. Composition and delivery were considered equally.

EL CIRCULO ESPANOL

El Circulo Espanol will meet Friday, April 23, Corcoran Hall, 8 p. m. Senior Eugenio Anzorena will address the club.

FISCHER TROPHY WON BY SOPHOMORE CLASS IN INTER-CLASS MEET

Amass Seventy-Three Points in Third Annual Track and Field Contest Held at Eastern High School Stadium to Win Coveted Award

FOUR MEET RECORDS ARE BROKEN BY STUDENTS

E. Aaronson and Leah Cate Win Individual Point Honors and Will be Awarded Trophies—Sigma Nu Takes Greek Relay From S. P. E. in Thrilling Stretch Duel

By R. CAMPBELL STARR

Four meet records went by the boards in the Third Annual Inter-Class Track and Field Meet held last Saturday afternoon at the Eastern High Stadium. The Sophomore Class won the coveted Louis A. Fischer Memorial Class Trophy by virtue of a total of 73 points scored in the various events. The individual point trophies for men and women were won by E. Aaronson of the Graduate School, and Leah Cate, sophomore of the Arts and Sciences Department, respectively.

ELECTRIC FURNACE SUBJECT OF TALK

A. C. Morrison of the Union Carbide Company Tells of its Place

JOINT MEETING IS HELD

Chemical and Engineering Societies Combine to Hear Lecture; Many Scientists Present

"The Place of the Electric Furnace in Industry in Times of Peace and War" was the subject of an address delivered by Mr. A. C. Cressy Morrison of the Union Carbide Company before a joint meeting of the chemical and engineering societies held in Corcoran Hall, Wednesday evening, April 14. Dr. H. E. Howe, editor of "Industrial and Engineering Chemistry," introduced the speaker calling attention to the magnitude and importance of the work which Mr. Morrison's company is carrying on.

Mr. Morrison pointed out that the electric furnace industry is primarily an American development and is but about thirty years old. Its development was centered about the search for cheap aluminum. The problem was solved and now aluminum is available in large quantities for common consumption and has contributed (Continued on page 4)

PAN-HELLENIC PROM TO BE HELD FRIDAY NIGHT

Mayflower Hotel to Be Scene of Annual Inter-Sorority Dance; Special Feature Promised

Features, unusual and attractive, are now being planned for the annual Pan-Hellenic Promenade which will be held at the Mayflower Hotel on the evening of April 23. The presentation of two trophy cups to the winning sororities in recent bowling and track meets and the appearance of "The Petticoat," noted satirical sheet, published by Gamma Eta Zeta, will take place at that time.

Tupman's Mayflower orchestra has promised to supply its usual amount of dance numbers with several extra features. Dancing will begin at ten and continue until two.

Probably the outstanding sensation of the evening will take place when, promptly at midnight, "The Petticoat" appears. The Gamma Eta Zeta's have shown an unusual clannish spirit here of late. This indicates that they have in store a goodly contribution of scandal, skeletons and pretenses.

Committees Well Divided
The work of the prom committees has been well divided among the different sororities. Pi Beta Phi and Chi Omega have complete charge of the programs; Gamma Beta Pi and Kappa Delta are managing the sale and distribution of tickets and invitations; Alpha Delta Pi have secured the ballroom and music.

Chaperones for the dance will be Professor and Mrs. Henry G. Doyle, Professor and Mrs. DeWitt Croissant, and Professor and Mrs. Ames. The patrons and patronesses are President and Mrs. William M. Lewis, Dean and Mrs. Howard L. Hodgkins, Dean and Mrs. William A. Wilbur, Dean and Mrs. William C. Borden, Dean and Mrs. W. C. Ruediger, Dean Henning and Miss Henning, Dean and Mrs. H. E. Kalusowski, Dean and Mrs. W. C. Van Vleck, Dean Anna Lorette Rose, Dean Hugh Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Holmes, Professor and Mrs. Elmer L. Kayser, and Miss Linda Jane Kincannon.

DIONYSIANS

Final rehearsals for the "Frogs," will be held today and Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. All members of the cast are required to be present.

The meet, sponsored by the Men's G. W. Club, is considered by many the most successful of the three held thus far. The twenty-four events were run off smoothly and rapidly under the able officiating of Coach "Tom" Proby, who acted as Chief Judge, "Bunn" Tolson, Starter, and "Jim" Sprigman, Chief Timer.

The points awarded in the various track and field events were divided rather unequally. The Sophomores were not pressed to win with their 73 points, followed by the Freshmen with a total of 55. The Graduate School garnered 31, the Juniors 23, and the Seniors, who have won the Class Trophy for two successive years, finished last with 14 points to their credit.

Four Records Are Smashed
Leah Cate, accounting for nearly half of the Soph's points, won the high point trophy for women, with 31 clean-up points. "Jimmie" won five events, placed second in two, and ran anchor man for Kappa Delta in the Sorority Relay.

The individual honors for men went (Continued on page 3)

THREE CO-EDS HONORED BY HOUR GLASS SOCIETY

Elizabeth Armentrout, Lois Himes and Dorothy Dougherty Are Initiated at Last Meeting

Hour Glass Honor Society, last week, initiated three prominent University co-eds, Elizabeth Armentrout, Dorothy Dougherty, and Lois Himes.

Betty Armentrout is a Junior, and in her three years at George Washington has acquired three major letters in basketball, being a member of the Varsity team in '24, '25 and '26. She has made class teams in hockey and basketball, and is this year Assistant Organizations Editor of the Cherry Tree.

On the Hatchet staff, she has served as reporter, and Girls' Sports Editor. She is manager of track, 1926, and belongs to the Y. W. C. A., one of the Dramatic Associations and is a member of the Chi Omega Fraternity.

Dorothy Dougherty has done outstanding work in the Troubadours for the last three years and is treasurer of that organization at present. She is one of the founders of Le Cercle Gallia, and has served as secretary, 1924-25, and is now president.

Prominent in Activities

This year she is a member of the Hatchet staff, and is vice chairman of the Publicity Committee, Senior Week. For three years she has been a member of the Y. W. C. A., Art Promoters League, and Dramatic Association. She was on the Roll Call Committee, 1925, and Junior Play Committee, 1925. She is a member of the Gamma Beta Pi Fraternity.

Lois Himes has done notable work for the last three years on the Cherry Tree staff, and is Senior Editor this year. She is chairman of the Membership Committee of the Y. W. C. A. and has been an active member in that organization for three years.

She is on the Senior Week Committee this year, a member of the Modern Poetry Club, Glee Club, being accompanist, '24, and has done work in the Dionysians, Mimes, and general Dramatic Association. She is a member of Sigma Kappa Fraternity.

Ermyntude Valden, as the new president of Hour Glass, officiated at the initiation. Katherine Shoemaker was elected vice president at the last meeting, Frances Walker, secretary-treasurer, and Betty Bradford, per-lates.

"Y" SECRETARY SPEAKS

The hardships of European student life, and the remedial effects of the Student Friendship Fund were discussed by Ray H. Legate, secretary of the Student Friendship Fund of the Y. M. C. A., in chapel, Friday, April 16. Mr. Legate's twenty years of work among students of the United States, and four recent years among European students enabled him to describe vividly the life of European students.

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CLASS SPIRIT

The time has come when the student body of George Washington University should concentrate its efforts toward the development of class spirit and interclass rivalry.

The Sophomore Society, which the President's Student Committee is sponsoring, is a definite step in this direction. There is a definite field for such an organization and an infinite amount of work to be done. Its aim should be the development of a general University spirit in the student body, its regulations should be practical enough to be enforced under the conditions that exist here and its efforts toward the attaining of these two should never cease.

If the students who are helping to organize this group and the sophomores who make up the charter membership will always work for these things, they will have the respect and support of the entire University and the organization will be bound to succeed.

A FORWARD STEP

A long step forward, and a commendable one, in the education of the student has been made in the Medical School in the organizing of the students into groups with the avowed intention of studying medical history and creating prizes to stimulate study and research in the various branches of this great scientific field.

Whether or not any such undergraduate interests had existed before, the fact remains that the Medical School is the least among the departments in this regard at the present time. There are only two prizes open for competition, and one society, open to seniors, in the present extra-curricular activities of the medical student.

The new movement is a good one and should stimulate future students to interest themselves not only in medicine, not only in scholarship, but in George Washington University.

"YOU NEVER CAN TELL"

With the Vodvil and the Mimes' presentation a matter of G. W. dramatic history, the Players will be at the bat tomorrow night with George Bernard Shaw's scintillating comedy, "You Never Can Tell." The Players is the oldest dramatic organization in the University and has a record of worthy productions in its field. The choice for this year's contribution to the Dramatic Festival is a particularly happy one. Miss Brown has trained two casts and picked the most promising one for the performance of April 22. It will be of interest to see how they acquit themselves in interpreting the Shavian masterpiece. Student support for this event is essential and will be "twice blest." An appreciative audience reacts in an inspirational way on the performers, which, in turn, enables them to give their best to the spectators.

THE COLUMBIAN WOMEN

The action of the Columbian Women of George Washington University in voting to underwrite \$10,000 as a gift to the new unit of the University to be started in the near future, shows just how close this institution is to the hearts of that association. The gift is to be applied to the cost of part of the building which will include the room to be used as a girls' club room by the girl students of the University. It will be spacious and attractive and will bear the name of the Columbian Women as donors. It is planned to have the organization meet in this room once a month, but in the intervals it will be turned over to the girl students. This act of the Columbian Women is a highly commendable one, and is another step forward toward that dream of a great George Washington University held by all who have grown to love this institution.

THIRTY-SIX MEN

Thirty-six men, representing nine different fraternities, took part in the interfraternity relay race held at the Inter-Class track meet at Eastern High Stadium last Saturday. Of this number not more than five have been out for the Varsity track team. This body of men could make for this University one of the greatest track teams in its history if it would come out for the regular team, but if the future is to be prophesied by the past, not more than five or six will come out for the Varsity. This school has the man power to place some of the greatest teams in the country on the field, but because only a very small percentage of them ever come out for athletics the standards of the Buff and Blue often trail in defeat. The interest shown in the interfrat relay is commendable, but how much more praiseworthy would be the efforts of those men were they to represent their University during the remainder of the track season.



Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Robertson have returned from their honeymoon in North Carolina, and are now at home at 3216 16th Street. Mrs. Robertson was formerly Miss Flora Lapham, a student at G. W. and a member of Phi Mu.

Miss Dorothy Manning was hostess at an informal dance on Easter Monday, when she had as guests the members and pledges of Phi Sigma.

Miss Mary Louise Chace entertained the members and pledges of Alpha Delta Pi at bridge on Friday, April 9th, in honor of Miss Annunziata Darton, whose marriage to Wm. J. Kerlin took place the following Tuesday.

One of the most enjoyable of the spring dances was that given at the Sigma Phi Epsilon House last Saturday evening.

The pledges of the Chi Omega Fraternity will be the guests of honor at a bridge party given by Miss Frances Davis in the Fraternity Rooms; this evening, when six tables of the game will be in progress.

Mari Morhart, Betty Peeples, Anne McCormick and Lydagne Black spent the week-end in Annapolis, where they attended the Easter Hop.

Richmond, Va., attracted quite a number of G. W. students the past week-end, when both the Sigma Mu's and the Kappa Sig's held their district conventions in that city on the 16th and 17th. Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes, Francis Brandenburg, Farnor, Howard Ruttenberg, and Bill McReynolds attended the former, while Alec Porter, Jones Hill, Mac McDermott, and Jimmy Naylor represented the latter.

Elizabeth Hall entertained several members and pledges of Kappa Delta Monday, April 5th, at bridge.

Mrs. Dorothea Murphy Elliot, the Grand President of Alpha Delta Theta, was the guest of honor at a tea given by the Phi Sigma Sorority on April 11th, at the home of Margaret Schneider and again at luncheon at the Powhatan Hotel the following day.

Bob Larson, a former G. W. student, who is now attending the University of Michigan, returned to pay the old school a visit during the past week.

Among those spending the Easter Holidays visiting out of town were Miss Jeanette Valck, in New York City, Eleanor Barroll, in Philadelphia, and Helen Periam, at Daytona Beach, Florida.

Miss Virginia May was hostess to a number of friends at a most enjoyable card party at her home last Saturday night.

Zeta Tau Alpha's subscription bridge party Friday, April 16, at the Burlington Hotel, proved an entertaining and successful affair.

With the clash of the drums and the syncopated moans of the saxophones, Sidney Seidermann's Orchestra made the second annual dance of the Menorah Society a dazzling success last Saturday night, April 17, at Corcoran Hall, Room 1. The dance was in charge of George White, who was ably assisted by a corps of helpers. Patrons and patronesses were Dean and Mrs. William Allen Wilbur, Rabbi and Mrs. Louis J. Schwefel, Rabbi H. L. Kronman and Professor and Mrs. Israel Shapiro.

A group of G. W. girls spent Easter vacation at Colonial Beach and enjoyed the water and camping in spite of the early season. Mrs. Hastings was chaperon, and the girls were Helen and Elizabeth Hastings, Mary Ewin, Raphaela Schwarz, Margaret Swain, and Geneva Dyre.

Estelle and Helen Humphreys gave a dance at their home in Cabin John on April 8th, for the pledges of Kappa Delta. Betty Clark and Isabella Bell were the guests of honor.

Miss Margaret Maize gave a delightful bridge on April 3rd, in honor of her two house guests who were visiting here from Connecticut.

Among the card parties of the Easter holiday was that of Miss Mary Chace, at which many members of the Alpha Delta Pi Sorority were present.

Miss Anita Smith had several tables of bridge at the Congressional Country Club last Monday.

ENGINEERING DANCE POSTPONED TO MAY 7

Price is Reduced to Two Dollars Per Couple; No Change in Program

Changes have been made in the plans for the annual Engineering Society dance which is to be held at the Franklin Square Hotel, May 7, instead of April 30, as previously announced. Claude Howison in charge of the dance committee announces a reduction in the price. The tickets are on sale and may be obtained from any member of the Engineering society for \$2.00.

No alterations in the original program will be made. Special features, prizes and favors will serve to make the dance characteristically different.

One of the music professors of Monmouth College gave a series of organ recitals during examination week to inspire the students to success.—Papyrus.

THE "EVER-READY GIRLS" OF GLEE CLUB SING

The Ever-ready Group of the Girls' Glee Club entertained with a well received concert last Friday night at an Eastern Star reception. The numbers given last Monday evening at the Naval Hospital also met with an enthusiastic reception.

Final arrangements are being made for the banquet to be given May 4, at the Franklin Square Hotel. This will mark the close of an active and most successful season for the Club.

GARRISON SPEAKS ON MEDICAL HISTORY

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Junior medicos, have taken up the cause of scholarship and have established a prize in Gynecology to be known as the J. Wesley Bovee prize, in honor of Dr. J. Wesley Bovee, nationally known gynecologist of the faculty. This will probably be a medal of some kind, the method of the award to be decided later. Plans were made for perpetuating this prize by the Class of '27.

Following this example the sophomores have formed, subject to the approval of Dean Borden, the Oscar B. Hunter Pathological Society. Dr. Hunter, elected honorary president, recently won the Kober Foundation prize awarded by Dean Kober of Georgetown University of \$500.00 for the most notable contribution to medicine made by a physician of Washington during the year. Dr. Thomas C. J. Cigas was elected honorary vice-president. Francis X. Courtney was elected president, Fred Farrar, vice-president, George Dewey, secretary and L. S. Gordon, treasurer.

Plan Prize Competition

The purpose of this society is to honor Dr. Hunter and to promote the study of pathology. It will also award a prize in pathology in some form of competition to be announced later. Dr. Hunter will speak to the society soon upon the pathology in heart disease, giving the same lecture, illustrated, that he delivered before the Kober Foundation some time ago when he received its award.

Freshmen are making plans to emulate the upperclassmen and in a short time will establish a prize in anatomy. These organizations are the culmination of efforts to establish undergraduate medical interests of an extra curricular nature where before none had existed. Their objects are to stimulate study and research in medical fields by the giving of prizes. These efforts, it is hoped, will eventually lead to scholarships in the Medical School.

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Though not strictly speaking a local product, having been born in Evanston, Ill., nevertheless Dr. Croissant, at an early age, migrated to "our fair city" where he graduated from Eastern High School. He attended G. W. for a time, but being unsuccessful in his pursuit of German under Dr. Shoenfeld he shortly transferred to Princeton from which he obtained his A. B. in 1899 and his Ph. D. in 1911.

He also studied at the University of Chicago, 1899-1901, and at Munich, 1903-4.

It has been learned from reliable authorities that he boasts of having flunked one subject every year throughout both High School and College. These included both German and Spanish (at Princeton). So now he teaches English.

He was instructor in English at the University of Colorado, 1901-2, and at G. W., 1905-6, becoming assistant professor, 1906-10, and professor, 1911-13. He left G. W. to accept the position as associate professor of the same subject at the University of Kansas, 1913-15, where he was also appointed Director of University Extension. He has been connected with the Summer School of the University of Oklahoma since 1912, and was visiting professor of English at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 1919-20.

Dr. Croissant returned to the University in 1916 as professor of English. He has been active on the Faculty.

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ulty as president of the Faculty Club, chairman of the Faculty Committee on Student Activities, 1917-19, and first president of the G. W. chapter of the American Association of University Professors.

He has been general field agent of the Simplified Spelling Board, 1915-16, and special investigator, U. S. Bureau of Efficiency, 1918-19. He is a trustee of the Educational Foundation of the National League of Masonic Clubs and is chairman of the committee in charge of raising the Endowment for the School of Diplomacy to be established at G. W. He is president of the Alumni Association of Eastern High School and is a member of numerous literary and educational societies.

At the present time Dr. Croissant is engaged in writing a life of Woodrow Wilson. He is also editing an anthology of selections from world literature. He is author of Studies in the Work of Colley Cibber.

MASONIC CLUB HOLDS DANCE AT THE WILLARD

The George Washington Masonic Club gave a very successful dance at the Willard Hotel last Friday night. Among those present were Dean and Mrs. H. L. Hodgkins, Dean Anna L. Rose and her sister, Dean and Mrs. W. C. Van Vleck, Dean Hugh Miller, Dean and Mrs. Ruediger, Prof. and Mrs. Elmer L. Kayser, Prof. Doyle, Miss Kincannon and the Presidents of several of the Masonic Clubs in the District. Happy Walker's orchestra furnished music for the dance.

TROUBADOURS NOTE

The Troubadours announce the opening of a managing office in the student activity office in the Gymnasium.

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INTRAMURAL BASEBALL UNDER WAY THIS WEEK

Games Monday, Wednesday and Friday Between Departments of University

Play starts in the intramural baseball league this week, the Chemistry Department meeting the Engineering College Monday, Chemists vs. Columbian College Wednesday and Engineers vs. Columbian College Friday. The series will continue for three weeks, and nine games will be played, each team meeting each other team three times.

Games are played at the Monument lot starting promptly at one o'clock. Baseball players in any of the three departments represented in the league are eligible and should report to their managers promptly. Guy Hottel is manager of the Columbian College team, Emory W. Clapper is manager of the Chemists and Curtis has charge of the Engineers' team.

It is planned to select a varsity team from the players on the three department teams. The varsity will meet other college teams on their own diamonds. The possibility of a baseball trip is an added inducement to players to try out on their college teams.

MALE GLEE CLUB GIVES SUCCESSFUL CONCERT

Two successful concerts were given by the Men's Glee Club last week. On Thursday night the club sang at the Grace Reformed Church in Washington and on the following night gave a program at Gaithersburg, Maryland.

The club rendered a large and varied repertoire, including in addition to the numbers sung by the entire club, two selections by the male quartette, a violin solo by Herman Wiehe, pianologues by Mrs. Robert Harmon, the accompanist of the club, a vocal solo by H. F. Sonntag, and a performance of the "Charleston" by five members of the club.

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SPLINTERS FROM SPORTDOM

Varsity Baseball

Interclass Track

Success in Rifle

By DOMY DOMIGAN

According to current information, G. W., for the first time, will be represented by a baseball team. Since plans for the season were started at such a late date, the members of the team will be picked from their individual showings in the Intramural engagements. The teams representing Columbian College, Chemistry, and Engineering have been practicing together for the past two weeks and will meet in their annual intercollegiate championship series this week. With the interfraternity series well under way, scouts for the varsity hope to discover enough additional talent to round out a well balanced team.

One of the difficulties to be encountered by the baseball team is that of securing a satisfactory schedule. Few teams have any open dates and most of them will consider an engagement with a school starting its initial season with an untried team as merely a practice encounter. Since paramount local interest is in big league baseball, Coach Crum is looking around to try and overcome these difficulties by arranging a few road games.

There is not much for the track team to look forward to this weekend. The Catholic U. and Gallaudet meets are the only ones scheduled, although there are hopeful prospects of a meet in early May. The boys are anxious for plenty of activity since they went through last season undefeated and outside the William and Mary pre-season setback, and with just as formidable a squad this year, bid fair to repeat.

The Interclass track meet Saturday probably brought into action a greater number of students than is involved in any other branch of athletics during the whole season. Probably because of the inaccessibility of the track there were few spectators, but the number of contestants was sufficient to furnish an adequate cheering section for the various events.

There was only one thing tending to mar the meet; there was too much wind. Not that the strong western gale did anything to affect the sportsmanship of the affair, but the meet is held incidentally in the hope of discovering additional varsity material and in view of the disadvantage of running against the wind, the coach was handicapped in determining just how creditable was the showing of each individual. Then some of the boys were hoping to better one or two of the existing records, but found the going against the wind a little too rough on the back stretch.

With most of their matches quietly conducted or on the telegraphic plan, without the individual support afforded other teams, the G. W. rifle team—through consistent development—has won the Eastern Intercollegiate title. No matter how G. W. has rated in other sports, opposing marksmen have always been forced to bow to the sharpshooters of G. W., a sport in which we have always excelled.

DR. SWISHER ANNOUNCES HISTORY PRIZE SUBJECTS

One Cash Prize and Three Gold Medals Offered for History Essays

Subjects for the Historical Prize essays have just been announced by Dr. Swisher, of the History Department. These prizes, consisting of one cash award and three handsome medals are awarded to members of the graduating class, based upon general excellence in History and upon an essay on a designated subject.

The Gardner G. Hubbard Memorial Prize in American History, consists of an endowment fund of one thousand dollars, "the income from which is to be given annually to that member of the graduating class who has during four years maintained a high standing in the several classes in History and who has produced the best essays upon subjects based upon a study of some assigned period of American History."

The Thomas F. Walsh Prize is a beautiful gold medal valued at fifty dollars, awarded for the best essay upon a designated period of English History in its association with the History of Ireland. "The Services of John Stewart Parnell in the Cause of Irish Home Rule" has been chosen as the subject this year.

The Society of the Colonial Dames of America offers a gold medal for excellence in American Colonial History. The Daughters of the American Revolution also offer a gold medal for the best essay upon an assigned subject in American History. The subject for these essays is "Virginia under Cromwell and the Later Stuarts."

Papers must be handed in not later than May 28. Further information regarding these prizes may be had by consulting Dr. Swisher.

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FISCHER TROPHY WON BY SOPHOMORE CLASS

(Continued from Page 1.)

to E. Aaronson of the Graduate School, with a total of 20 points. Aaronson placed first in the open century, pole vault, broad jump and javelin.

The stiff wind, sweeping across the oval field slowed up the track events, and rendered the field events extremely difficult. However, new records were hung up in four events. Leah Cate lowered the G. W. record in the 50-yard dash by a full second, finishing in 6.1-5. She also clipped a second and a fifth from the old record in the 70-yard dash, crossing the tape in 9 seconds flat. John Leohler, captain of track, not competing for points, put the shot 38 feet 1 inch and hurled the discus 111 feet 10 inches, breaking his former Inter-Class records of 37 feet and 100 feet, respectively.

Greek Relays Feature

A great deal of enthusiasm was aroused over the Inter-Fraternity and Inter-Sorority Relays. The Inter-Frat affair, a half-mile event, was won by Sigma Nu in one of the closest races ever run in the Inter-Class Meet. This victory gives Sigma Nu the highly prized silver cup awarded by the Inter-Fraternity Council.

Kappa Delta nosed out Chi Omega in the Inter-Sorority Relay, thereby preventing Chi O from gaining permanent possession of the silver trophy offered by the Pan-Hellenic Association. Chi Omega had two legs on the cup, and a win on Saturday would have made it theirs for keeps.

Individual honors in the closed events, from which the Varsity men were excluded, were divided between Howard M. Baggett, a Junior, and K. I. Popham, a Freshman, with 10 points each. E. Higgins was second, with 8½, and D. Warner, with 6½ points, was third.

The winners of the Men's G. W. Club Medals were as follows:

Second Place Gold Medal (open events); G. R. Kieferle (S) 16 points.
Third Place Silver Medal (open events); H. Domigan (Sr) 9 points.

Fourth Place Bronze Medal (open events); E. P. Wardwell (S) 7 points.
First Place Bronze Medal (mile run); Carl Anderson (Gr).

First Place Bronze Medal (two-mile run); Hurd Willett (Gr).

First Place Gold Medal (closed events); H. M. Baggett (Jr) and K. I. Popham (F) 10 points each.

Second Place Silver Medal (closed events); E. Higgins (F) 8½ points.
Third Place Bronze Medal (closed events); D. Warner (F) 6½ points.

Second Place Gold Medal (Women's events); G. Lear (S) 6 points.
Third Place Silver Medal (women's events); F. Drake (F) 5 points.

Fourth Place Bronze Medal (women's events); F. Knowlton (F) 4½ points.

Winners of Bronze Place Medals, awarded by the Men's G. W. Club to First, Second and Third Place winners in the different events, but who did not win a point medal. (Figures following names indicate number of points won.)

Freshmen: R. Stearns (S), R. Carleton (S), T. Midgett (S), F. McGhan (1), and D. Smith (½); M. Alverson (4), F. Heid (4), E. April (3), E. Theis (1), and H. Humphrey (1).

Sophomores: H. Athey (6), R. Battle (1), and Gross (1).
Juniors: V. Brown (6), C. Tolson (3), C. Thomas (1), S. Meade (3), and R. Reed (3½), E. Hastings (1½), and R. Jackson (1).

Seniors: P. Kendall (6), Bixby (5), W. Myers (3), S. Blinder (1), and G. Hottel (1).

Summaries of the various events follow:

Men's Events

100-yd. dash—Won by Aaronson (Gr); second, Kieferle (S); third, Brown (J). Time: 10.4-5.

100-yd. dash (closed)—Won by Baggett (J); second, Higgins (F); third, Battle (S). Time: 11.4-5.

220-yd. dash—Won by Kieferle (S); second, Brown (J); third, Wardwell (S). Time: 27.4-5.

220-yd. dash (closed)—won by Higgins (F); second, Baggett (J); third, Thomas (J). Time: 29.1-5.

440-yd. dash—Won by Wardwell (S); second, Myers (Sr) third, Stearns (F). Time: 58.

660-yd. Novice (closed)—Won by Warner (F); second, Carleton (F); third, Blinder (Sr). Time: 1:34.1-5.

880-yd. run—Won by Bixby (Sr); second, Domigan (S); third, Stearns (F). Time: 2:37.5-5.

Mile run—Won by Anderson (Gr); second, Domigan (S); third, Stearns (F). Time: 5:00.4-5.

Two-mile run—Won by Willett (Gr); second, Domigan (S); third, Anderson (Gr). Time: 16.45.1-5.

Broad Jump—Won by Aaronson (Gr); second, Kieferle (S); third, Midgett (F). Distance: 19 feet 1 inch.

High Jump—Won by Kieferle (S); second, Meade (J); third, McGhan and Midgett (F). Height: 5 feet 4 inches.

Javelin Throw—Won by Aaronson (Gr); second, Tolson, C. A. (S); third, Hottel (Sr). Distance: 133 feet 4 inches.

Discus Throw—Won by Popham (F); Kendall (Sr), second; third, Wardwell (S). Distance: 98 feet 2 inches.

Shot put—Won by Popham (F); second, Athey (S); third, Kendall (Sr). Distance: 34 feet 1 inch.

Pole Vault—Won by Aaronson (Gr); second, Reed (J) and Warner (F) in tie; third, McGhan (F). Height: 10 feet.

Women's Events

50-yd. dash—Won by Cate (S); second, Alverson (F); third, Held (F). Time: 8.1-5 (New Inter-Class Meet Record).

70-yd. dash—Won by Cate (S); second, Held (F); third, Alverson (F). Time: 9. (New Inter-Class Meet Record).

100-yd. dash—Won by Cate (S); second, April (F); third, Theis (F). Time: 14.

Running Broad Jump—Won by Cate (S); second, Knowlton (F); third, Lear (S). Distance: 12 ft. 1-5 in.

Running High Jump—Won by Cate (S); second, Knowlton (F); third, Hastings (J). Height: 4 feet.

Shot Put—Won by Lear (S); second, Cate (S); third, Humphrey (F). Distance: 24 feet 1-2 inches.

Discus Throw—Won by Drake (F); second, Cate (S); third, Jackson (J). Distance: 87 feet 8-12 inches.

Feature Events

Inter-Sorority Relay Race (¼-mile)—Won by Kappa Delta, (J. Booth, L. Mathais, D. Greasley and L. Cate). Second, Chi Omega; Third, Phi Mu. Time: 1:07.4-5.

Inter-Fraternity Relay Race (¼-mile)—won by Sigma Nu, (Hottel, Thomas, Kendall, and McCormack); Second, Sigma Phi Epsilon; Third, Sigma Alpha Epsilon; Fourth, Theta Upsilon Omega. Time: 1:47.3-5.

PHI SIGMA KAPPA LEADING LEAGUE B

Sigma Chi and Sigma Nu Tied For First in League A of Frat Series

GAMES MARRED BY RAIN

Sigma Chi, Sigma Nu, Kappa Sigma and Sigma Phi Epsilon Win Sunday

Sigma Chi is tied with Sigma Nu for first place in League A and Phi Sigma Kappa is leading in League B as a result of the games played Sunday in the interfraternity series. Sigma Chi defeated Theta Upsilon Omega, Sigma Nu downed Delta Tau Delta, Kappa Sigma vanquished Kappa Alpha, Sigma Phi Epsilon won from Acacia and Phi Sigma Kappa won by forfeit from Theta Delta Chi in the second round of the series.

Sigma Chi won from T. U. O. 11 to 8 in six and a half innings. Batteries for Sigma Chi were Russell and Alder and for Theta Upsilon Omega, Herzog and Koch. Russell struck out nine men, Herzog, ten. DeVoe and Alder of Sigma Chi each got two hits and Gettle, T. U. O., rapped out two safeties.

T. U. O. Scores First

T. U. O. took the lead in the first inning, scoring three runs, and held it until the third, when Sigma Chi scored six runs on two hits, two passes and four errors. Once started, Sigma Chi continued to score, counting two runs in the fourth, one in the fifth and two in the sixth. A feature of the game was a double play by T. U. O., Pomeroy to Gettle.

Sigma Nu took the long end of a score of 6 to 0 from Delta Tau Delta, scoring six runs on only three hits. One of the hits was a home run by Cogswell. Batteries for Sigma Nu were Athey and Delashmunt and for Delta Tau Delta, Nichols, pitcher, and Moore and Newby, catchers. Athey struck out fourteen and Nichols twelve.

Cogswell, Colton and Hill did all the hitting for Sigma Nu, each getting one hit. The Deltas got only one hit.

Kappa Sigma vanquished Kappa Alpha 9 to 4 in five innings. Each team made only two hits, the runs being scored on passes and errors. Kappa Sigma used three pitchers, Sapp, Wheaton and Goodhill. Flouherly caught the whole game. The three pitchers struck out a total of nine men.

In a swatfest and home run bee Sigma Phi Epsilon downed Acacia 18 to 5. Jean, S. P. E., got two home runs in one inning, and Kirby Smith also knocked out a home run. Smith

had the bad fortune to break his ankle in the sixth inning of the game. Batteries for Sigma Phi Epsilon were Winston Jean and James Healy, for Acacia, Kelly and Spangler, pitchers, and Wingard, catcher.

Theta Delta Chi forfeited to Phi Sigma Kappa. The game between Acacia and Kappa Sigma, postponed from last week, will be played later in the season.

The diamonds were heavy Sunday morning, all of the games being played in the snow and rain. The bad condition of the diamonds and the inclement weather accounted for the large number of errors made by all competing teams.

Team Standings

League A	Won	Lost	Pct.
Sigma Chi	1	0	1.000
Sigma Nu	1	0	1.000
Delta Tau Delta	1	1	.500
Theta Upsilon Omega	0	2	.000
Sigma Alpha Epsilon	0	0	.000

League B	Won	Lost	Pct.
Phi Sigma Kappa	2	0	1.000
Kappa Sigma	1	0	1.000
Sigma Phi Epsilon	1	1	.500
Kappa Alpha	1	1	.500
Acacia	0	1	.000
Theta Delta Chi	0	2	.000

RACE FOR CO-ED CUP STILL LED BY VAIDEN

Ruth Jackson is Second, 19 Points Behind the Leader; Presentation at May Fete

At the March counting of the points for the Women's Activity cup which is to be presented this year at the May Fete to the girl who has the greatest number of points representing the largest attendance in athletics, Ermytrude Vaiden is still leading by a margin of 19 points.

Ruth Jackson, listed in five sports, is running a close second with Helen Taylor taking third place with fifty-two less points than the leading participant. Ermytrude Vaiden is listed in six major sports; varsity rifle, varsity basketball, Junior Class basketball, hockey, swimming and track, and this year is a two letter girl.

The following is the rating of the first ten:

	Spts	Pts.
Ermytrude Vaiden	6	167
Ruth Jackson	5	148
Helen Taylor	2	115
Leah Cate	6	93
Edith Theis	3	92
Edna Kilpatrick	2	87
Helen Prentiss	3	85
Florence Merriam	1	84
Sophia Waldman	2	82
Katherine Shoemaker	2	80

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TWO MATCHES PLAYED BY FRAT RACKETERS

Theta Deltas Win From Acacia, While Sigma Nu Down T. U. O. Team in Easy Fashion

The first week of the interfraternity tennis tournament ended with but four teams completing their schedules. The other fraternities had planned to finish their sets Sunday, but were unable to play on account of the weather.

Theta Delta Chi showed fine tennis to win from Acacia, taking both doubles and one singles match. Bixby, Acacia, defeated Solinger, Theta Delta Chi, 7-5, 6-1; Brown, T. D. C., defeated Spangler, Acacia, 6-1, 6-2; Kelley, Acacia, defeated Barnes, T. D. C., 6-1, 6-3; Brown and Solinger, T. D. C., defeated Spangler and Bixby, Acacia, 4-6, 7-5, 9-7; and Battle and Wimble, T. D. C., defeated Kelley and Helfrich, Acacia, 6-3, 6-2.

Sigma Nu had little difficulty disposing of Theta Upsilon Omega, winning in three matches. Only one of the matches was closely contested, and that a doubles, went into three sets. McCormack, Sigma Nu, defeated Hartman, T. U. O., 6-2, 6-0; Kendall, S. N., defeated Baggett, T. U. O., 6-1, 6-1; and Kendall and Harper, S. N., defeated Baggett and Reed, T. U. O., 6-2, 4-6, 6-4.

At the meeting of the Interfraternity Council held Sunday it was decided to allow the teams that had not played until Tuesday to complete their matches. This will leave enough time in the remainder of the week to bring the schedule up to date.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT BEGINS NEXT MONDAY

Trip to William and Mary College and Fredericksburg Planned

The girls' tennis tournament will begin on Monday, April 26. Although not many doubles have signed up yet, it is expected that there will be a good showing in each branch of the net sport.

Classes for beginners in tennis began Monday at three o'clock on the Ellipse. Classes will be held every Monday and Thursday on these courts, according to Miss Hopkins, coach.

The team is looking forward to the coming matches. On May 21 it will journey to Williamsburg to play the girls of William and Mary College, and will stop at Fredericksburg on the way back to play the Normal team there. Games with Gallaudet, National Park Seminary, and Holton Arms are also on the schedule.

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MIMES START RACE FOR DRAMATIC CUP

Give Three One-Act Plays in Gymnasium Before Small Crowd To Open Festival

The Mimes opened the Dramatic Festival and the race for the coveted Phi Delta Gamma cup with three one-act plays last Thursday night, April 15, two of them student-written and all student directed.

The first was a southern dialect play written and directed by Foster Hagan. The scene was laid in the mountains, with Foster Hagan playing the lead as "Abe."

The second on the program was "The Spider," written by Charles Hayes and directed by Marden Green. It was a mystery play cleverly woven around the psychic power of suggestion.

The third was "Boccaccio's Untold Tale," a beautiful tragedy, very artistically produced. Florio, the poet, was played by Maurice Joyce; the lady Violante by Stella Porter; Marian Booth as Olivia; Mary Griffith as Lizzia; and Foster Hagan as Dionio. The acting was excellent, and it was a very finished production.

Paul Gable's student orchestra played between the acts.

MEN'S TENNIS

Meeting, C. H. 17, 7 p. m. Thursday.

WOMEN'S MEDICAL CLUB ENTERTAINS WOMEN M. D.

Dr. Enslows Gives Talk on Tularemia, Which She Named

Having as their guests the Women's Medical Society of the District of Columbia, as well as other prominent women Doctors of Medicine, the George Washington Women's Medical Club of the Medical School convened last Tuesday evening, the 13th, in the rooms of the Women's University Club in Building Two.

Heading the program was Dr. Enslows who delivered a paper on Tularemia, a disease which she was responsible for naming. A paper on the Value of Chemistry to Medicine, by Miss Marie O'Dea, was read. A recitation by Miss Edith Petrie and a violin solo by Miss Seitsig completed the program.

The object of the meeting was twofold, to acquaint the undergraduate women with practicing women of the city, and to announce the intention of the Club of making application to Alpha Epsilon Iota, National women's medical sorority.

Among the guests of the society were Dean Anna L. Rose, Miss MacMillan, Miss Sellner, Miss Dickinson, Miss Breen, Miss Pfaff, Miss Palagrove, and Miss Smith. Unique refreshments were served.

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Hatchet Reviews of Current Shows

By JOE D. WALSTROM

READ THIS

The Belasco is dark this week and will probably be so for the rest of the season, and Poli's will also close after "Princess Flavia" has departed. We take this opportunity to thank these two houses for the courtesies they have shown us, and desire to thank them for restraining themselves whenever they felt a suppressed desire to shoot us.

"The Sea Beast," with Jawn Barrymore and Dolores Costello, is still at the Rialto. Our Helen, who saw it last week, said it was a pretty good movie (despite the fact that the Rialto cancelled our annual pass in a dark moment of uncontrollable anger).

Oh, yes. Manager Beatus of the Palace, says that the next week's film at his theatre will be "Brown of Harvard," from the famous football play, with an all-star cast. Save your pennies.

NATIONAL

Somebody once pulled a high-brow epigram all about the first hundred years being the most unresilient, and then John Golden promptly procured a pencil, and presented us with a comedy drama that maintains that the initial twelve months of marriage's so-called bliss are also of the consistency of fermented apple juice.

"The First Year" is being done by the National Theatre Stock Company this week, and this reviewer, for one, is going to see it again to reinforce his somewhat definite ideas about the advantages of being a boy and a bachelor.

However, as one of the ninety-three odd males who hang about the National's stage door to see Leneta Lane come and go, this critic would also like to recommend attendance on your part. If you have never seen "The First Year," drop around and watch Mile. Leneta and John Warner as the newly wedded couple who make illuminating discoveries about matrimony. Kathryn Givney, Romaine Callender, and the rest of our own Bigger and Better stock company will be on deck, too.

ROBACCIA.

POLI'S

"Princess Flavia" is now at Poli's in all its glory, fresh from New York where it had a nice, healthy run. The plot of the average musical show is usually so utterly childish that it is positively insulting to one's alleged intelligence, but not so with "Princess Flavia." This operetta is adapted from the romantic story, "The Prisoner of Zenda," which makes it possible for all kinds of costumes, beautiful ladies, dungeons, sojourn boys, drunken brawls, duels, and anything else that you can think of. It also manages to be more humorous than most operettas, which are ordinarily about as funny as the Congressional Record, or this review. Harry Welchman and Evelyn Herbert, aided by a huge cast, sing the music of Sig Romberg excellently.

"Princess Flavia" is lavish, transcendent, sumptuous, resplendent, Afghanistan, and pomme de terre, and if I could think of any more fitting adjectives I should be delighted to use them also.

JOE.

METROPOLITAN

Harry Langdon, in "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp," at the Metropolitan this week is marching into the hearts of the millions as another king of comedy, fit for the immortal company of Chaplin and Lloyd. All of which means that Met fans are going into hysterics about him, and the air of the theater is rent

PLAYERS PRESENT SHAW PRODUCTION

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Next Thursday the Dionysians will present Aristophanes' "The Frogs," the greatest of all Greek burlesques. The costumes for the production have been designed and executed by members of that organization, and the settings, also original, promise to be unusually novel and cleverly carried out.

"Just a Kiss," the Troubadours' original musical comedy to be staged May 6, is snowballing onward, and is now approaching stupendous proportions. After revisions in script, the book and lyrics, written by Sterry Waterman and Larry Parker, are now in final form.

Two of Jack Hutchins' musical numbers, hitherto unplayed outside of the rehearsal room, are scheduled to be played by the Mayflower orchestra at the Pan-Hellenic Prom. The three dancing choruses are practicing every afternoon under the direction of Mary Virginia Leckie, assisted by Louise Braswell, Abbie Burke and Elsie Talbert.

To Broadcast Songs

On April 27 the singing "leads" in the show are to broadcast some of the song numbers over the radio. The stage settings, particularly the one in the final act, where the action is located in an artist's studio, are reported to be the most elaborate that have ever been attempted on the gymnasium stage.

A first class orchestra, under the direction of Elmer Brown, will play for the performance. An advance sale of over 300 promised tickets is reported already by the managing director. Everything points to a notable production, and to the success of what is, undoubtedly, the most ambitious attempt yet made in George Washington on the solely amusement side of drama.

The Dramatic Festival last year

with high pitched giggles and deep, manly guffaws. But Harry doesn't pay a bit of attention to them, and keeps on marching across the continent to win his prize in the big cross continental walking race. When the audience is about to roll out into the aisle and expire in one last whoop, Harry comes over the top triumphant, marries the girl, and takes the \$25,000 and buys his baby shoes. And that's that.

A Helen and Warren comedy follows, and everybody begins to get a bit tired of so much to laugh at, but the management offers the Waring boys as an offset, and closes the show with an orchestral score of real merit.

BOB.

COLUMBIA

Harold Lloyd opened what promises to be a record week at the Columbia in his latest vehicle, "For Heaven's Sake."

The man with a mansion falls in love with the miss with a mission (I culled that gem from one of the subtitles) and the rest of the film shows how he got to the wedding on time.

The production is not the best we have seen from Lloyd, but it is passing fair; however, you will go to see it no matter what I say, and you will not be disappointed.

Added attractions include a rather clever musical novelty, Our Gang Comedy, those intimate glimpses into the lives of the great and near-great in Hollywood, and of course, the news-reel.

ELBERT.

PALACE

This week's learned lecture on the doings at the Palace concerns "Monte Carlo," a fairly amusing comedy with Lew Cody, Gertrude Olmstead, Zasu Pitts, Karl Dane, Trixie Friganza, and Roy d'Arcy. Roy, the unforgettable Crown Prince Mirko, is mentioned last because he is given very little to do.

Lew Cody makes a pleasing prince, wearing uniforms that would put to shame the Grand Exalted Rorthy Mugwumpus of the Rho Dami Rho fraternity. Gertrude Olmstead is demure as the heroine, and Trixie Friganza is Trixie Friganza. Also the usual extra reels, including a Sennett Comedy.

JACK.

CAMPUS CRITIQUES

The Mimes shot the first gun in the Dramatic Festival last Thursday night in the form of three one-act plays. The first not inappropriately titled "Trouble on Lost Mountain," was an adaptation by J. Foster Hagan of a story by Joel Chandler Harris.

The least said about this the better. One member of the cast seemed not to have a speaking acquaintance with his lines and his inventive powers were not equal to the occasion, as whose would be. Dave Lynn and Foster Hagan contributed adequate characterizations, in spite of the handicaps. Charlie Hayes' mystery play was really clever, and Marden Green handled the lead with suavity and poise, albeit he would never have been heard at the back of the Gym had there been any necessity. The setting and lighting for "Boccaccio's Untold Tale," a rather goosy piece by Harry Kemp, were quite effective in their simplicity. The acting was commendable and showed the result of able direction on the part of Ann Ives. Maurice Joyce struck me as particularly promising material.

One bit of constructive advice to all it may concern. Get somebody who can jerk the curtain with a little more speed. The final effect of each of the plays was spoiled by its tardiness.

The Mimes presented their one act plays last week, and the other three organizations are on their mettle to make their shows the best possible.

SPRING FOOTBALL DRILLS PRONOUNCED SUCCESS

Spring Practice Ended; Squad of Sixty Expected in September

Spring football practice was wound up last week, and most of the candidates for the team are now working out with the baseball squad and the track squad. Coach Crum was very well pleased with the results accomplished during the spring grid workouts, having as many as thirty men out at times.

Coleman and Captain-elect Sapp are almost sure to hold down the backfield positions, the duties they so well performed last fall. Kendall, Athey, Hayman and Allhouse, all stars of the '25 team, will return to make the line the stone wall that last year withstood the ardent attacks of our strongest opponents. De Lashmutt and Bosvich, the latter a former speedster in the backfield of Utah's freshman team, are slated to make trouble for our adversaries. There is good enough material here for any team.

To make a creditable showing against the teams on next fall's difficult schedule it is necessary that a squad of at least sixty answer the preliminary call for football material which will be issued in September. This means that the squad must double in number by fall, but with the new men who will register next term and the experienced men who will return, there is no doubt that there will be plenty of men.

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Several New Features, Including Free Meal Award Each Day, Inaugurated by Cafeteria

In line with its policy of continual progress, the University Cafeteria is announcing several new features in its service to the student body. Beginning with Thursday of last week the Cafeteria started a scheme whereby a free meal twice a day can be won by some lucky person. The details of the contest center around the drawing of the duplicate of the check received by the student when the meal is paid for, and which he must hold to win. Further details of the contest may be had by reading the "Are You Lucky?" signs posted about the campus.

The names of those winning the free meals will be published in the Hatchet from week to week. Recently the Cafeteria has placed on sale a meal ticket whereby \$5.50 in value may be obtained by the purchase of a ticket for \$5.00. Many students are taking advantage of this offer.

The Cafeteria will continue through the summer school for the benefit of the students attending classes here and the summer school faculty. An additional feature at that time will be the club breakfasts with seated service. This will make it possible to obtain three meals a day at the Cafeteria where only two are now served.

ELECTRIC FURNACE SUBJECT OF TALK

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greatly to our present-day civilization. For instance, ferro-alloys of aluminum are used in motor cars making this vehicle lighter and therefore affording much cheaper transportation. Through the medium of alloy speed tools the efficiency of the automobile industry has also been increased 500 per cent.

Aided in War Program

During the war the balloon and airship program of the allies was dependent upon the electric furnace for the conversion of iron and quartz into ferro-silicon from which all their hydrogen was obtained. Flying also depends greatly upon aluminum—dirigibles almost entirely upon it and airplanes to an increasingly greater extent. The process for producing diamonds by the electric furnace is now sufficiently advanced to be optimistic.

Chromium, another product of the electric furnace, has entered the field of metal plating. It has an advantage over silver, brass, and nickel in that it is impervious to rust and wear and once polished remains polished. An alloy of chromium, tungsten, and cobalt is believed to be the solution of the problem of the rusting of iron and steel and in this connection is referred to as the "King of Metals."

From the standpoint of the farmer the electric furnace is the answer to the question "Where shall we get our nitrogen?" For the moment at least this factor promises the cheapest form of nitrogen and as long as the world has this plant food available in abundant quantities to replenish the soil it will not starve. Alcohols formerly produced only from vegetable sources are now products of the electric furnace. Mr. Morrison gave many other interesting examples both from the viewpoint of the chemist and the engineer of how this factor enters our modern life.

Prominent Scientists Present

The following Government officials and other prominent men were present: Dr. William Hale, chairman of the Division of Chemistry and Chemical Technology, National Research Council, Dr. C. E. Munroe, former dean of the school of graduate studies and internationally known authority on explosives, Mr. C. C. Concanon, Chief and Mr. T. W. Delahanty, Assistant Chief, Chemical Division, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, Major Amos A. Fries, Chief Chemical Warfare Service, Dr. Gillette, Chief, Metallurgical Division, Bureau of Standards, Col. J. I. McMullin, in charge of Patents, Advocate General's office, and Dr. O. Schreiner, chief biochemist, Bureau of Plant Industry. Mr. Mitchell, Mr. Williamson and Mr. Smith, of the Union Carbide Company, accompanied Mr. Morrison.

Miss May C. Bergin, president of the Chemical Society and Chemical vice-president of the Engineering Society arranged for and presided at the meeting.

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MRS. MITCHELL CARROLL GIVES CHAPEL ADDRESS

Lecturer Has Recently Been Elected To the International Society of Women Geographers

Mrs. Mitchell Carroll, of the faculty of Arts and Sciences, gave a talk at chapel last Wednesday, April 14. Her subject was "Sweden, Yesterday and Today," and the many colored lantern slides used in illustration, afforded an instructive survey of Sweden and her people, from the southern fertile country with its medieval castles to the snow-clad mountain region above the Arctic Circle, in the "land of the midnight sun."

The topic was a timely one in view of the coming visit to Washington of the Crown Prince and Crown Princess of Sweden who will take part in the unveiling, on May 29th of the monument in memory of John Ericsson, the designer of the Monitor and the inventor of the propeller. His invention of the propeller was recommended in this country, it is said, by Captain Robert S. Stockton of the United States Navy.

Mrs. Mitchell Carroll has recently received the honor of being elected to membership in the International Society of Women Geographers. This society was organized by a group of noted explorers and travelers for the purpose of bringing into closer association women interested in the various sciences allied with geographical investigation. To be eligible for membership, a woman must have done some distinctive work in her field.

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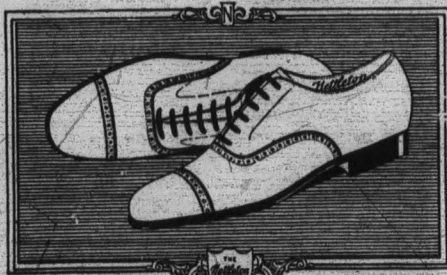
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